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One Cent

ONE MAN KILLED AND EIGHT INJURED IN WRECK THIS MORNING AT GIBSONTON

Head On Collision Between
Work Train And Yard
Engine--Dense Fog As
Signed As the Cause.

THREE SENT TO HOSPITAL

Likely That One Will Die
From Results Of
Injuries.

When with a crash a work train with a crew aboard, and a yard engine of the P. and L. E. railroad, came together this morning at Gibsonton, across the river from this place, one man was killed and eight others injured, three seriously. One of the injured men in all probability will die. The three most seriously hurt were taken to the McKeesport hospital. The wreck occurred at 5:35 o'clock, being a head on collision.

The Dead.

GRENMENTI GIGLIETTE, an Italian. Taken to the undertaking rooms of James Wilson, in Belle Vernon.

The Injured.

R. E. JENNINGS, foreman of work train, shoulder dislocated.

Seven Italians, names unknown. Three badly injured and taken to the McKeesport hospital.

Gigliette was burned to death by escaping steam while some of those injured were also badly burned.

The cause of the wreck is thought to have been from the dense fog.

The train, drawn from the tracks, that was brought back and worked three hours before it was cleared.

An accident occurred a few yards from the Gibsonton station, on the round tracks. The work train, north bound, and the yard train was coming from Monessen to do work along the tracks at Gibsonton. It had switched on the north bound tracks, and was running swiftly when the two came together. According to say the engines were rather very much damaged.

NEW "TIRE MILK" DAIRY FOR CHARLEROI

E. R. Spahr of "Speers" has started a new dairy for this place. He will furnish absolutely pure milk to his customers. See his ad in to-night's paper.

Notice.

All goods left at my place over sixty days will be sold for charges, if not called for in ten days from date.

R. O. Vetter, Bell Phone 57-L.
September 14 08
31t1

Absolutely but one guaranteed cure for indigestion with all its discomfort. Mints-tablets—50 cents a box if they cure—nothing if they fail, because you can get your money back. Sold by Piper Bros. 31t1

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johns have left for a visit in Ohio.

Glen Lynn, employed as an engineer of the new lock which is being built at Brownsville was a visitor in Charleroi today. 31t2

Child Peddling On The Street

School Board Takes Action In Case Of Syrian.

FATHER STANDS SUIT

For keeping his 11 year old daughter out of school and having her peddle on the streets, John Allies, a Syrian, of this place was brought before Justice Wilson last night on information of Truant Officer Gilbert Uptegraft. The man said he did not keep the girl out but it was proved to the contrary. He was fined \$2 and costs, and instructed to send his daughter to school this morning.

The daughter of Allies is in a primary grade of the Ninth street school, but this year has not been attending. It was learned that she was peddling on the streets and when sufficient evidence was established her parents was arrested. This morning she appeared in school, and showed great willingness to learn.

Charter Of Local Company Filed

The charter of the Co-Operative Realty company of Charleroi, has been filed in the recorder's office. The company proposes to do a general real estate business including the buying, selling, renting of properties and insurance. It is capitalized at \$15,000 divided into 300 shares at a par value of \$50 per share. The charter is for 999 years and the directors of the company are August Mahieu, H. M. Christi, Louis Gozziou, John Leyda, Louis Michel, Frank Brison, John Lachem, Ferdinand Folise, Louis Veltay.

FINED \$3 AND COSTS FOR FIGHTING

John McGinty and William Uptegraft were fined \$3 and costs each by Burgess Scott last evening for fighting on Sunday evening.

Fire Plugs are in Fair Condition

Yesterday the fifty-two fire plugs throughout Charleroi were tested by Clerk Nickeson and a local representative of the Charleroi Water company. But four needed attention, the remainder being in good condition.

Star Theatre.

For the balance of this week the management of the Star, have arranged to give its patrons what is probably the best bill they have ever produced, and that is saying a good deal, as all the attractions offered at this cozy little theatre are good. The program in detail will be found in the regular advertisement on page two.

Sorosis Shoes at Petersons, Monongahela. 31t2

How He Became a Successful Saver

A young man started a Bank Account with \$25.00 and deposited \$25.00 to his credit each month. As his income increased, he increased the amount of his deposits to \$50.00, then to \$75.00, then to \$100.00 per month. Four years have now passed, and he has \$4,000 to his credit.

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Company A Goes To Philadelphia

Local Company To Take Part In Founder's Day Excercise.

LEAVE SUNDAY OCT. 4

Captain Charles P. Keller of Company A has received word from the Adjutant General that the Pennsylvania Divisions of the National Guards would parade in Philadelphia on Monday October 5th in connection with the Founder's Day celebration.

The orders of the trip have not as yet been issued but they are expected at any time. The local company will undoubtedly leave Monongahela on Sunday October 4th and will remain in Philadelphia until Tuesday or Wednesday.

The members of Company A look forward to the trip with pleasure and a good time is assured.

Captain Keller stated that there

were a number of vacancies in his command as a result of the expiration of a number of enlistments and that he expected to recruit his company to its full quota prior to the Philadelphia trip. He further states that no person will be taken along who is not a member of the company and that he will not consider an enlistment after next Monday evening.

Company A also expects to be among the commands that will

go to Washington City next March

to attend the inauguration of the next president.

Braun-Keil.

At the home of the bride's parents North Side, Pittsburgh, yesterday afternoon, occurred the marriage of Mr. Henry Braun, the well known meat merchant of Fallowfield avenue and Miss Katherine Keil. The wedding was a quiet affair only a very few guests being present. The couple will not take a trip at present, but will go to housekeeping at once at a home already furnished on Fallowfield avenue.

Use Golden Crescent Flour. At

TEACHER FROM PHILIPPINES TO TALK TO PUPILS

C. E. Wright Has Fine Exhibit, Mostly Work From His School.

C. E. Wright, a brother of Supt. W. D. Wright, of the Charleroi Public schools now has on display at the home of the latter whom he is visiting a large number of articles brought from the Philippines. Mr. Wright has been located in the islands for four years, holding positions with school and most of the articles he is showing is the work of pupils under him of various grades. On next Tuesday afternoon at the school hall he will give a talk to the pupils of the local schools over the fourth grade, and in the evening will make an address to the public on his experiences in the Philippines and tell of the work in the schools there. Mr. Wright will show his exhibits at both times.

At present Mr. Wright is on an eight months leave of absence. He will leave Charleroi on the 28th of the month for San Francisco where he will sail for the islands to take up his work the first of December. He is

division superintendent of the province

Misamis, on the island of Mindanao,

having been located there for the

past two years. During the first two

years of his work in the Philippines

Mr. Wright was a high school teacher

in the town of Capiz on the island of

Penny.

"The Philippino children," said,

Mr. Wright, "show extraordinary

ability in handwork. Nearly all of

them are naturally very proficient in

painting and drawing, while their

basket-weaving would be hard to ex-

cels. The children are bright and

very eager to learn, and master diffi-

culties in a quicker time than many of

their American brothers. They

seemingly have no trouble in learning

to read, write and speak fluently the

English tongue, which is taught ex-

clusively in the schools."

As examples of the ability of some of his former pupils in the Capiz High school, Mr. Wright showed a map of North America and two sketches of the human body showing the workings of the muscles and use of the arteries, drawn by them, which were little short of wonderful. The map was especially good.

In the exhibit are articles of every

day use of the Philippinos, all made

by hand. A collection of cloths,

Good Shipments Of Various Material Made On River

Special Correspondent Gives Some Figures Fur- nished By Superintendent Of Lock

No. 2.

Port Perry, Sept. 17.—(From Special Correspondent of the Mail.)—Some valuable shipping statistics of the river have been kindly furnished by Superintendent James S. Swaine of Lock No. 2. The records show a very creditable shipment of coal, sand and gravel as well as a large list of passengers during the month of August.

The total shipments of coal, not coal and down stream amounts to 10,539,000 bushels and was loaded in 1,322 boats and barges. There were 424 lockings made and 455 steamers passed down. Of sand there were 48,000 bushels; lumber 97,000 feet; passengers 3,728 and a large shipment of miscellaneous freight down.

The business up stream consisted principally of 1,198 boats and barges; 447 steamers; 416 lockings; Sand 377,000 bushels, gravel 532,000, passengers 3,833, form and dairy products 173 tons, general merchandise \$45,000, tons consisting of posts, ties, live stock, etc. The shipment of iron products from up river points amounted to 125 tons. Over 7,000 passengers passed up and down, mostly excursionists at this point. But one lock is in commission.

At present the shipments of sand and gravel to all points is remarkably heavy as the demand for reinforced concrete work in bridges, large buildings and retaining walls is very much on the increase. The Rodgers Sand company and the Iron City Sand company are the two principal shippers from in and around Pittsburgh. They

UNUSUAL SIGNIFICANCE ATTACHED TO COAL DEAL

Unusual significance is believed to be attached to an enormous coal deal put through yesterday at Uniontown, which transfers a huge block of black diamonds to a syndicate of coal and furnace men of the Pittsburgh district.

Greene and Washington counties, it is

thought, will be affected materially

by the transaction not only through a

boom to the coal industry of this sec-

tion, but it will mean much to Way-

nesburg by the extending of a stand-

ard gauge railroad through to the

Greene county capital, making this

the terminal of the Pennsylvania

branch now operating between Monon-

gahela and Marianna.

J. V. Thompson, the Uniontown

millionaire coal magnate, is the party

from whom the coal was purchased.

Three thousand acres are in the tract

which is located in Washington town-

ship, Greene county, about six miles

from Waynesburg. J. H. Sanford

and R. P. Burgen, of Pittsburg, offi-

cials of the Carnegie Coal company,

were the purchasing agents represent-

ing a syndicate which it is stated has

been organized for working the hold-

ings.

This 3,000 acres adjoins on the

north the property of the Pittsburg

and Westmoreland Coal company; on

the east the Emerald Coal company,

on the south the holdings of Frank

M. Osborne, former president of the

Pittsburg Coal company and others.

To the northeast nearby lies a block

of coal purchased by the Bessemer

Coal company.

This 3,000 acres adjoins on the

north the property of the Pittsburg

and Westmoreland Coal company;

the most recent purchase however was

made by W. A. Stone and associates,

the Andrews and Hitchcock Iron com-

pany, Youngstown, Ohio, and the

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Clyde Collins.....Spears
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Gustave Clements.....Lock No. 4

Sept. 17 In History.

1743—Jean Antoine, marquis de Condorcet, mathematician and friend of Benjamin Franklin, was born in Pleyard; died 1794.

1862—Battle of Antietam, the bloodiest single day's battle ever fought on American soil.

1894—Remarkable naval battle in the Yalu river between Chinese and Japanese.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.
Sun sets 6:02, rises 5:35; moon rises 10:35 p. m.; moon's age 22 days; moon highest.

Problematic.

The two matters which are causing more trouble to cities and towns in Western Pennsylvania at the present time than any other are the garbage and water questions, and ready solutions for the problems seem wanting, despite the fact that men of brains are putting themselves at a mental strain worrying over the perplexities which arise. To say it, the disposal of the refuse of a town, seem small, but when the preposition "if" is necessarily inserted in various questions which arise when the matter is mentioned, the problem assumes tremendous proportions. The councils of cities will start off, "If we buy a garbage furnace who can we get to haul the refuse, and how will we regulate the prices?" Will we keep the matter in our hands or let it out by contract?" and so on. When the furnace is purchased and put in operation other troubles arise, so that to be a member of the garbage committee of a town council is like standing over the crater of Vesuvius. And if a place does not have a plant for the disposal of garbage, the state board of health will get after the local officials and compel them to take some action, which in concise terms means a plant must be provided for the burning of refuse.

The water question. Nearly all the trouble seems to arise in the furnishing of this necessity from heartless corporations who hold the franchise, and care not a rap what kind of service they give, or what quality of water they furnish. The wise ones whisper, "wrest the franchise from these conscienceless bodies," but what would be the result if a town or city should acquire an imperfect water system, which alone would cause no small expense. Are there not the chances that it would like the garbage prove a source of continual trouble? However, despite the above cautionary question, Charleroi people are right willing to take the risk of all trouble which might arise, if they can but defeat that Water company which holds forth here and give the borough complete control of the system.

Another Big Deal.

J. V. Thompson, the coal man of Fayette county has made another big deal, selling three thousand acres more of Greene county coal, the pur-

chasers being Jesse H. Sanford, of the J. H. Sanford Coal company and the Carnegie Coal company, and R. P. Burgen, president of the Carnegie Coal company. The price paid was \$280 per acre.

The tract adjoins that of the sale on Monday to the Emerald Coal company.

Greene county coal is proving a rich thing for those who are lucky enough to possess a few acres. J. V. Thompson has made considerable of his millions by speculating in black diamonds in that county, and will make more money in the future. He with unusual foresight several years ago gobbled up much coal land in Greene, at small prices and is now disposing of these holdings at triple the amount paid, and more, in many cases.

Within a short time Greene county, which has been almost isolated inasmuch as railroads are concerned, will be a net work of tracks. The farmers of that valuable acreage view with dissatisfaction in many cases the sale of coal lands and the rapid surveys being made by real way men for they know that their farms will be spoiled when the coal is mined from in under their lands, and coke ovens are fired.

Electric Sparks.

With the Weather Bureau promising week-end-relief to the dry places, it seems a pity that Atlantic City is out of the jurisdiction.

Mrs. Carrie Nation is said to be worth \$250,000. If this is true, we suspect the good old soul has a streak of P. T. Barnumitis running through her, after all.

Appearances indicate that Colonel Guffey continues to be the Democratic party in Pennsylvania, and he is willing enough too.

That Buffalo underaker who is running for Congress would no doubt like to be placed on one of the committees that make a specialty of burying proposed legislation.

Why Men Don't Marry.—When a married man wants a mess of turkey it costs him at least two dollars and a half, considering the price of the bird, the cost of the oysters to stuff it, and the cranberry sauce. Besides, he has to carve it. But an unmarried man can go to a restaurant and get all the turkey he wants for fifteen cents.

Not Colds; Just Dirt.

The physicians of Pittsburgh have discovered that what the matter with the atmosphere at the present time is that it needs a bath. They find that nearly everyone is suffering from a form of influenza, a bad cold, not severe enough to have a physician, but just enough to cause the sufferer to feel downright mean and miserable.

The Smoky City medical men state that the climatic conditions contribute quite a good deal to the prevalence of colds, as the humidity of the atmosphere is very marked at present. This keeps the dust and smoke from rising and being blown away. Instead, these irritating particles are kept suspended close to the surface of the earth, where they are breathed in and deposited on the mucous membrane, producing an irritation similar to the inflammation incident to a cold."

Exterminating Pests.

The United States Forestry service has been doing good work in the way of killing off prairie dogs of the West.

Poisoned wheat is prepared and placed for the little animals, they greedily eat it and consequently die. The state of Kansas has been carrying on a warfare against the prairie dog for the past two or three years, and the sum of \$100,000 was appropriated by the Kansas Legislature for the purpose. This work has been so successful that today Kansas is practically free from the pests. The Forest Service proposes to clean up the areas inside the National Forests, and believes that when the stockmen see how successful it is, the various states will be induced to take up to the open ranges and thus sweep them out of existence.

Government officials are sometimes hard to arouse from their slumbers. For instance, the bureau of navigation has just announced its discovery of the fact that want advertisements in the newspapers bring best and cheapest returns when men are sought for naval service. Any advertiser could have told the bureau that years ago.

Johnny on School Questions

"Vacation is over and I must return to school again. I think of this with the greatest of pleasure. I shall fall in love with my teacher, and the walk between my home and the school house will be romantic.

"Last term I had orthography, writing, history, grammar, mathematics, drawing, current events and about fourteen other things. This term I hope I shall have about fifty studies.

"Last term I had to study till day and until 10 o'clock at night, and then get up at 6 in the morning and go at it again. This term I hope I shall have to study all night and all day Sundays.

"Nothing does a growing boy so much good as to work his head so much that he has no appetite and goes about wishing he was dead. He ought to be made to take up at least forty studies that will be no use to him whatever as a man.

"Last term in order to be perfect in my studies from day to day, I had to have the help of my father, my mother, my brother, my sister and my Uncle Jim. My father and Uncle Jim did the swearing for the whole crowd of us.

"This term they will all help me again, and I shall have the aid of grandpa and grandma besides. I think we shall get through the work every night by midnight.

"There are boys going to private schools who don't have more than six studies, and who have time for recreation and sleep, but I don't envy them. It is such boys that grow up to become pirates in the end. The way to make a good man of a boy is to send him to public school and cram him so full of knowledge that he will go around with his eyes half shut and his mouth wide open."

Had Seven Gallons Left.

Messrs Leachman and Edelin, Grafton, W. Va., had been selling a paint which they thought well of; and this had occurred.

They had sold a customer 18 gallons of it to paint his house. A few years later, they sold the same man Devoe lead-and-zinc the same number of gallon to paint the same house. He had 7 gallons left.

The point of the tale is 11 gallons Devoe paints an 18-gallon house.

Of course, that isn't all.

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Buckholt Hardware Co.

Labor Notes.

The annual convention of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada has been called for this month at Halifax and great preparations are being made, insuring a large attendance from all parts of the Dominion.

The Alaskan fisheries now give employment to more than five thousand fishermen, the majority of whom are now organized. A few years ago there were scarcely any unionized fishermen engaged in the large Alaskan districts.

The National Miners' Federation of France, with a total membership of 80,000 men, has decided to affiliate with the General Federation of Labor for the purpose of acquiring greater strength and influence over legislation. Under the new labor law, promulgated this year by Italy, persons of either sex under 12 years of age are not permitted to engage in building operations, outside work of any kind, in mines or tunnels, nor in any industrial establishment.

Washington, Sept. 17.—Mystery surrounds the finding of an unconscious man on the bank of Chartiers creek, back of the tube mills yesterday afternoon about 1 o'clock. After being removed to the Washington hospital the stranger revived and gave his name as Carl Forney, a boarder at No. 38 Summer avenue, who came to Washington from Pittsburg, and had intended going to work in a tin plate mill in town today.

Miss Althea Phyllis of Beaver is a guest of Miss Calista Kelley.

SALE OF MILEAGE BOOKS MAY BE STOPPED SOON

The movement to do away with the sale of mileage books on the railroads entirely has been renewed and it is understood the proposition will be submitted to passenger associations throughout the country. Railroad officials contend that in many States the maximum passenger rate has been fixed at two cents a mile, and that the traveling public is not benefited by the sale of mileage books. They claim the expense of issuing this form of ticket is heavy and that the mileage book must go, notwithstanding commercial organizations are making a determined effort to compel the railroads to continue the sale. At local railroad offices it was announced yesterday that the sale of mileage books has been greatly decreased since the low fare laws became effective.

DUST CLOUDS BOTHER TRAVELERS ON CARS

Cornellsburg, Sept. 17.—The drouth has added another annoyance in addition to the water shortage. Passengers on the trains and trolley cars, especially the latter complained bitterly yesterday afternoon and today of the fearful dust that is occasioned by the motion of cars. From Brownsville to Greensburg on the trolley the dust everywhere is heavy and the speed of the cars stirs it up and it flies in the windows and the rear of the cars in great clouds.

Every conductor on the West Penn line arrives at headquarters covered with the small particles, and whisk brooms are in great demand. Old-time conductors on the lines say that the annoyance from dust was never so aggravated as at present.

Ross Sisley, fire boss, and Grover Thompson, a driver, both of Star Junction, were arrested yesterday by Constable Milt Morris, of Uniontown, upon charges of violating the mining laws, preferred by Mine Inspector Alex. McCann before Justice of the Peace D. M. Bierer. Both furnished bail in the sum of \$300 before 'Squire Carson of Perryopolis, yesterday for a hearing at Uniontown next Tuesday afternoon between 1 and 2 o'clock.

It is claimed that the mine boss discovered some gas in the mine about three weeks ago and Sisley, the fire boss, was notified. Open lamps had been used and it was then required that all lamps be locked.

Sisley is said to have locked all the lamps except the one used by Thompson, who entered the mine and opened his lamp. The diggers reported the matter to Superintendent R. M. Pollock and the fire boss and it was at once taken up with the mine inspector.

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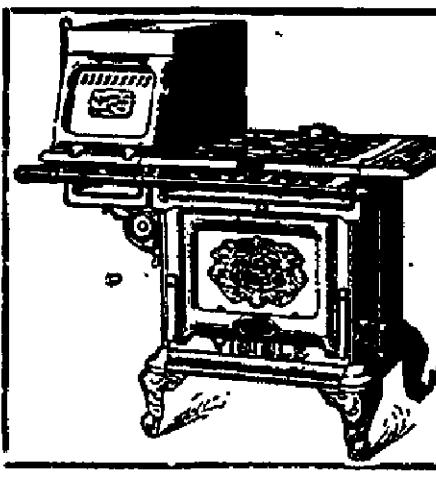
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Spokane, Wash., Sept. 17.—Fred E. Kemfer, who has been a surveyor, brewer, printer and politician during his 20 years' stay in Spokane, wants a wife. He is a widower and can be reached at Washington street and Calisto avenue, Spokane, where he has a comfortable home with cellar and woodshed stocked with provisions and fuel. Any respectable woman, not younger than 25 years or over 50 years of age, is eligible, provided she is a good housekeeper and neat and clean. Kemfer has a snug bank account and is employed by The Traction company in Spokane, but says he is too busy to search for a helpmate. He has laid in a stock of photographs and is ready for a short courtship by mail or otherwise.

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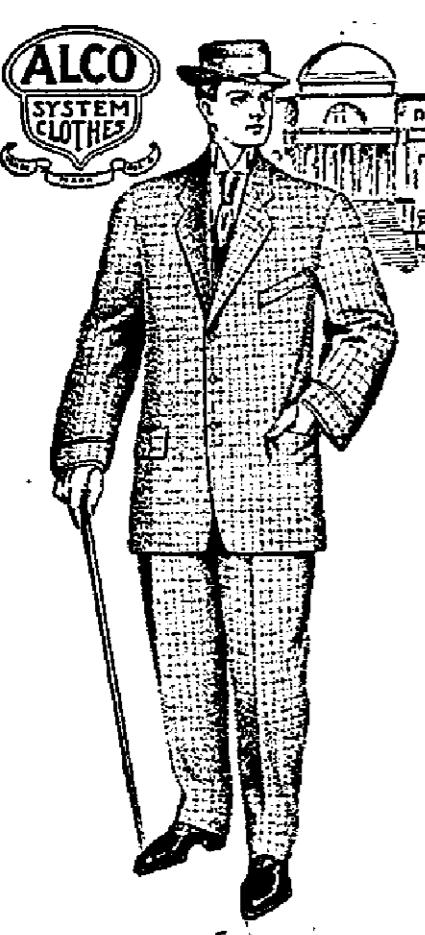
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Personal Mention

Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Orange and Mis: Eunice Ramsey are visitors in Pittsburg today.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Richardson and granddaughter, Doris, are spending the day in Pittsburg.

Mrs. Carl Mountsier of Fallowfield avenue is spending the day in Munhall with friends.

Adolph Beigel is transacting business in Pittsburg today.

Mrs. E. E. McCullough has left for Chicago, Ill., after spending several weeks in Charleroi.

Mrs. Ruser and daughter and Mrs. William King of Monessen were guests yesterday of Mrs. John Koth of McKean avenue.

Prof. R. G. Dean of the Monongahela schools was a visitor in Charleroi last evening a guest of C. E. Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. James F. Bake and family returned to their home in Toledo, Ohio, after a visit with relatives and friends in Charleroi.

CAPITALISTS AND OFFICIALS ON FIRST TRAIN

Spokane, Wash., Sept. 17.—Capitalists and officials of the Spokane and Inland Empire Electric Railway System will compose the operating crew of the first train to be sent over the newly completed electric line from Spokane to Moscow, Idaho, 94 miles south of here, the morning of Sept. 23, when the 150,000 club of this city will give its annual excursion. The crew will be headed by Joy P. Graves, president of the company, as conductor, and his son, Clyde M. Graves, as motorman. Waldo G. Paine, general passenger agent, figures as head brakeman, the brakeman in the rear being R. C. Bodish.

H. D. Ferris will audit the conductor's count, and Aubrey Lee White is to be the official barker on the trip. The train will carry 25 excursionists and a band of 15 pieces. The party will pass the day at Moscow, returning late in the evening.

Plants Will Resume.

Tarentum, Sept. 17.—Before another week has rolled around it is likely that every industrial plant in this vicinity will be in operation. As it is now there are only two factories idle. One of these is the Pittsburgh Plate Glass company's plant at Creighton, which has been shut down since June. Extensive repairs have been made and the plant is now ready to resume operations. Notices have been posted that work will be started Monday, September 21.

Washington, Sept. 17.—Morgan avenue, East Washington, will be paved before the snow flies. The East End council are in a hurry and will push the work as fast as possible.

West Alexander, Sept. 16.—In the racing events at the second day's meet of the West Alexander fair here today the track record was broken when Adonis, a sorrel gelding belonging to W. G. Quarts, of Crosscreek Village, made the circuit in 2:23 1-4.

Two years ago Brilliant the Great, owned by C. P. Buchanan, Independence, made the complete circuit in 2:25. The racing was a feature of the events of the day. Good time was also made in the free for all pace and the event was not decided until the last heat was run.

Bentleyville, Sept. 16.—The school board held a meeting Tuesday night and elected Miss Laura Pettibon to teach room No. 5 and Miss Roney will act as principal until the return of Prof. Norris, who is away on account of ill health.

The board also decided to build a concrete retaining wall and walk.

The work will be started soon so that it can be completed before the bad weather sets in.

Washington, Sept. 17.—In compliance with a recent act of the legislature the Washington board of health has had quarantine notices for scarlet fever, mumps, whooping cough, German measles and chicken pox printed and the notices will hereafter be posted on the houses where the diseases are confined.

Zollarsville, Sept. 16.—The supervisors of West Bethlehem township have decided to do a little permanent road building on their own initiative and with that end in view have contracted with Hootman Brothers, for the construction of an up-to-date Flinn thoroughfare extending from the eastern terminus of the present Flinn road near Zollarsville, on towards Derrytown. The length of the road contracted for is a quarter of a mile.

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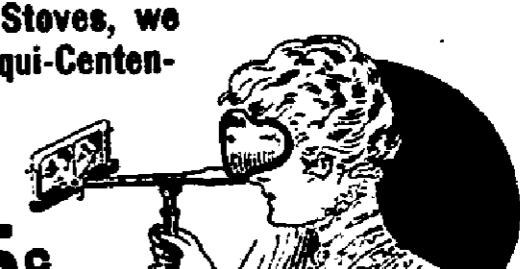
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Sept. 17 In History.

1743—Jean Antoine, marquis de Condorcet, mathematician and friend of Benjamin Franklin, was born in Pierrefonds; died 1794.

1862—Battle of Antietam, the bloodiest single day's battle ever fought on American soil.

1804—Remarkable naval battle in the Yalu river between Chinese and Japanese.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 6:02; rises 5:38; moon rises 10:55 p. m.; moon's age 22 days; moon highest.

Problematic.

The two matters which are causing more trouble to cities and towns in Western Pennsylvania at the present time than any other are the garbage and water questions, and ready solutions for the problems seem wanting, despite the fact that men of brains are putting themselves at a mental strain worrying over the perplexities which arise. To say it, the disposal of the refuse of a town seem small, but when the preposition "if" is necessarily inserted in various questions which arise when the matter is mentioned, the problem assumes tremendous proportions. The councils of cities will start off, "If we buy a garbage furnace who can we get to haul the refuse, and how will we regulate the prices?" Will we keep the matter in our hands or let it out by contract?" and so on. When the furnace is purchased and put in operation other troubles arise, so that to be a member of the garbage committee of a town council is like standing over the crater of Vesuvius. And if a place does not have a plant for the disposal of garbage, the state board of health will get after the local officials and compel them to take some action, which in concise terms means a plant must be provided for the burning of refuse.

The water question. Nearly all the trouble seems to arise in the furnishing of this necessity from heartless corporations who hold the franchise, and care not a rap what kind of service they give, or what quality of water they furnish. The wise ones whisper, "wrest the franchise from these conscienceless bodies," but what would be the result if a town or city should acquire an imperfect water system, which alone would cause no small expense. Are there not the chances that it would like the garbage prove a source of continual trouble? However, despite the above cautionary question, Charleroi people are right willing to take the risk of all trouble which might arise, if they can but defeat that Water company which holds forth here and give the best.

chasers being Jesse H. Sanford, of the J. H. Sanford Coal company and the Carnegie Coal company, and R. P. Burgan, president of the Carnegie Coal company. The price paid was \$280 per acre.

The tract adjoins that of the sale on Monday to the Emerald Coal company.

Greene county coal is proving a rich thing for those who are lucky enough to possess a few acres. J. V. Thompson has made considerable of his millions by speculating in black diamonds in that county, and will make more money in the future. He with unusual foresight several years ago gobbled up much coal land in Greene, at small prices and is now disposing of these holdings at triple the amount paid, and more, in many cases.

Within a short time Greene county, which has been almost isolated inasmuch as railroads are concerned, will be a network of tracks. The beauty of that valuable acreage view with dissatisfaction in many cases the sale of coal lands and the rapid surveys being made by railway men for they know that their farms will be spoiled when the coal is mined from under their lands, and coke ovens are fired.

Electric Sparks.

With the Weather Bureau promising week-end relief to the dry places, it seems a pity that Atlantic City is out of the jurisdiction.

Mrs. Carrie Nation is said to be worth \$250,000. If this is true, we suspect the good old soul has a streak of P. T. Barnumitis running through her, after all.

Appearances indicate that Colonel Guffey continues to be the Democratic party in Pennsylvania, and he is willing enough too.

That Buffalo underaker who is running for Congress would no doubt like to be placed on one of the committees that make a specialty of burying proposed legislation.

Why Men Don't Marry.—When a married man wants a mess of turkey it costs him at least two dollars and a half, considering the price of the bird, the cost of the oysters to stuff it, and the cranberry sauce. Besides, he has to carve it. But an unmarried man can go to a restaurant and get all the turkey he wants for fifteen cents.

Not Colds; Just Dirt.

The physicians of Pittsburg have discovered that what the matter with the atmosphere at the present time is that it needs a bath. They find that nearly everyone is suffering from a form of influenza, a bad cold, not severe enough to have a physician, but just enough to cause the sufferer to feel downright mean and miserable.

The Smoky City medical men state that the climatic conditions contribute quite a good deal to the prevalence of colds, as the humidity of the atmosphere is very marked at present. This keeps the dust and smoke from rising and being blown away. Instead, these irritating particles are kept suspended close to the surface of the earth, where they are breathed in and deposited on the mucous membrane, producing an irritation similar to the inflammation incident to a cold."

Exterminating Pests.

The United States Forestry service has been doing good work in the way of killing off prairie dogs of the West. Poisoned wheat is prepared and placed for the little animals, they greedily eat it and consequently die. The state of Kansas has been carrying on a warfare against the prairie dog for the past two or three years, and the sum of \$100,000 was appropriated by the Kansas Legislature for the purpose. This work has been so successful that today Kansas is practically free from the pests. The Forest Service proposes to clean up the areas inside the National Forests, and believes that when the stockmen see how successful it is, the various states will be induced to take up to the open ranges and thus sweep them out of existence.

Government officials are sometimes hard to arouse from their slumbers. For instance, the bureau of navigation has just announced its discovery of the fact that want advertisements in the newspapers bring best and cheapest returns when men are sought for naval service. Any advertiser could have told the bureau that years ago.

Johnny on School Questions.

"Vacation is over and I must return to school again. I think of this with the greatest of pleasure. I fall in love with my teacher, and the walk between my home and the school house will be romantic.

"Last term I had orthography, writing, history, grammar, mathematics, drawing, current events and about fourteen other things. This term I hope I shall have about fifty studies.

"Last term I had to study all day and until 10 o'clock at night, and then get up at 6 in the morning and go at it again. This term I hope I shall have to study all night and all day Sundays.

"Nothing does a growing boy so much good as to work his head so much that he has no appetite and goes about wishing he was dead. He ought to be made to take up at least forty studies that will be no use to him whatever as a man.

"Last term in order to be perfect in my studies from day to day, I had to have the help of my father, my mother, my brother, my sister and my wife. My father and Uncle Jim did the swearing for the whole crowd of us.

"This term they will all help me again, and I shall have the aid of grandpa and grandma besides. I think we shall get through the work every night by midnight.

"There are boys going to private schools who don't have more than six studies, and who have time for recreation and sleep, but I don't envy them. It is such boys that grow up to become pirates in the end. The way to make a good man of a boy is to send him to public school and cram him so full of knowledge that he will go around with his eyes half shut and his mouth wide open."

Had Seven Gallons Left.

Messrs Leachman and Edelin, Grafton, W. Va., had been selling a paint, which they thought well of; and this had occurred.

They had sold a customer 18 gallons of it to paint his house. A few weeks later, they sold the same man Devoe lead-and-zinc the same number of gallons to paint the same house. He had 7 gallons left.

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Labor Notes.

The annual convention of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada has been called for this month at Halifax and great preparations are being made, insuring a large attendance from all parts of the Dominion.

The Alaskan fisheries now give employment to more than five thousand fishermen, the majority of whom are now organized. A few years ago there were scarcely any unionized fishermen engaged in the large Alaskan districts.

The National Miners' Federation of France, with a total membership of 80,000 men, has decided to affiliate with the General Federation of Labor for the purpose of acquiring greater strength and influence over legislation. Under the new labor law, promulgated this year by Italy, persons of either sex under 12 years of age are not permitted to engage in building operations, outside work of any kind, in mines or tunnels, nor in any industrial establishment.

Use Golden Crescent Flour. At your grocers.

SALE OF MILEAGE BOOKS MAY BE STOPPED SOON

The movement to do away with the sale of mileage books on the railroads entirely has been renewed and it is understood the proposition will be submitted to passenger associations throughout the country. Railroad officials contend that in many States

the maximum passenger rate has been fixed at two cents a mile, and that the traveling public is not benefited by the sale of mileage books.

They claim the expense of issuing this form of ticket is heavy and that the mileage book must go, notwithstanding commercial organizations are making a determined effort to compel the railroads to continue the sale. At local railroad offices it was announced yesterday that the sale of mileage books has been greatly decreased since the low fare laws became effective.

DUST CLOUDS BOTHER

TRAVELERS ON CARS

Cornellsburg, Sept. 17.—The Crout has added another annoyance in addition to the water shortage.

Passengers on the trains and trolley cars, especially the latter complained bitterly yesterday afternoon and today of the fearful dust that is occasioned by the motion of cars. From Brownsville to Greensburg on the trolley the dust everywhere is heavy and the speed of the cars stirs it up and it flies in the windows and the rear of the cars in great clouds.

Every conductor on the West Penn line arrives at headquarters covered with the small particles, and whisk brooms are in great demand. Old-time conductors on the lines say that the annoyance from dust was never so aggravated as at present.

CLAIMS MINING LAWS HAVE BEEN VIOLATED

Ross Sisely, fire boss, and Grover Thompson, a driver, both of Star Junction, were arrested yesterday by Constable Milt Morris, of Uniontown, upon charges of violating the mining laws, preferred by Mine Inspector Alex McCann before Justice of the Peace D. M. Bierer. Both furnished bail in the sum of \$300 before Squire Carson of Perryopolis, yesterday for a hearing at Uniontown next Tuesday afternoon between 1 and 2 o'clock.

It is claimed that the mine boss discovered some gas in the mine about three weeks ago and Sisely, the fire boss, was notified. Open lamps had been used and it was then required that all lamps be locked.

Sisely is said to have locked all the lamps except the one used by Thompson, who entered the mine and opened his lamp. The diggers reported the matter to Superintendent R. M. Pollock and the fire boss and it was at once taken up with the mine inspector.

Washington, Sept. 17.—Mystery surrounds the finding of an unconscious man on the bank of Chartiers creek, back of the tube mills yesterday afternoon about 1 o'clock. After being removed to the Washington hospital the stranger revived and gave his name as Carl Forney, a boarder at No. 33 Summer avenue, who came to Washington from Pittsburg and had intended going to work in a tin plate mill in town today.

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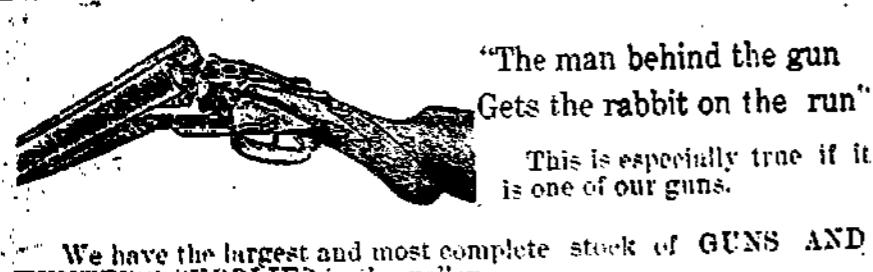
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